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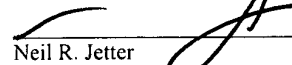
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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 10, 2003 for the above-identified patent application for one (1) month from July 10, 2003 to August 10, 2003.

The Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge the required fee in the amount of \$110.00 for a one (1) month extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17(a)(1) to Deposit Account No. 50-0951. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any deficiency in any fees due with the filing of this paper or credit any overpayment in any fees paid on the filing, or during prosecution of this application to Deposit Account No. 50-0951. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

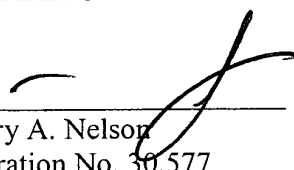
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